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## MR. TIMOLEON BRADSHAW.

### Passed to His Reward Last Sunday Morning at 6:30 O'clock.

Mr. Timoleon Bradshaw was born seventy-two years ago on a farm near the headwaters of Sulphur Creek, in this county, and died Sunday morning, December 3rd, at his late residence on Burkesville street, a victim of a complication of diseases.

Early in life the subject of this notice removed to Columbia and entered the mercantile business and was on of most popular merchants of his day. He served as Sheriff of Adair and probably no man in this country was better known, to old and young, than Mr. Bradshaw. For several years he was unable to actively engage in business, but whenever health would permit he was always to be found pursuing clerical work.

The deceased had been a member of the Christian church for a number of years and when able was in attendance at the services. He was a man of strong convictions, always to be found on the side of right and justice, and ever ready to give advice to the young and inexperienced, which if heeded was of incalculable benefit to them.

About forty years ago he was united in marriage to Miss Sallie Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Wilson, of Columbia, and to the union four children were born, three of whom and the widow survive him, Mr. W. E. Bradshaw, Mrs. M. Cravens and Mrs. W. F. Hancock.

The funeral services were held at the Christian church conducted by the pastor, Eld. Z. T. Williams, followed by Eld. W. K. Azbill and Judge H. C. Baker. The latter being a life-long friend and neighbor of the deceased was prepared to speak as one who knew him. Judge Baker eulogized the life of the deceased, and spoke of him as a whole-souled, generous hearted neighbor, always ready and willing to help a weaker brother, and a man who could always be found doing good to the best of his ability.

Besides the widow and three children, the deceased is survived by two sisters, Miss Lottie Bradshaw and Mrs. Ann White, all of whom have the sympathy of this entire section.

### FRIGHTENED BY AUTOMOBILE.

A team of horses belonging to "Gander" Burton hitched to a wagon loaded with furniture became frightened at an automobile on the pike, near Tarnon's shop, last Monday, and gave quite an exhibition of speed. John B. Coffey, who was driving from his home to town had a very narrow escape from being run over.

## FUNERAL SERVICES OF JO Z. WHEAT.

### A Former Columbian Who Recently Died at San Antonio, Texas.

The following article on the death of Mr. Jo Z. Wheat is taken from the Ft. Worth Record:

The funeral of the late Jo Z. Wheat took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of Robert B. Smith, 1428 Pruitt street, and was attended by a large number of friends. The services were conducted by Rev. C. W. Daniel assisted by Rev. J. Frank Smith, of Dallas. The pallbearers were William D. Williams, W. B. Garvey, G. H. Colvin, Leon Gross, William Bryce, Dr. C. S. Mattison, Robert B. Smith and W. T. Maddox. The burial took place in the new cemetery. Many were the floral offerings by friends, among which was a magnificent one by the occupants of the Wheat office building.

Mr. Wheat's death came as a surprise and shock to his many friends here. He was here just two weeks ago in good health as usual, and nothing was known here of his illness until telegraphic messages received from San Antonio Sunday told of his dangerous condition. He was attacked last Friday night with acute throat trouble,

and was operated on Saturday morning with but temporary relief. Sunday morning it was found necessary to perform the operation of tracheotomy, in an effort to confine the disease to the throat and make breathing possible. Monday evening it was evident that the oedema was extending to the lungs and Tuesday at 10:30 a. m. death followed as a result. He was attended at the time of his death by his wife, two daughters, Misses Rosa Nell and Virginia, and his aunt, Mrs. Annie M. Smith.

The remains arrived here over the Katy yesterday morning accompanied by the family and J. G. Reeves, who had been summoned to Mr. Wheat's bedside by the family.

Mr. Wheat was a native of Kentucky, having been born in Columbia, December 21st, 1855. He had been a resident of Fort Worth more than twenty years, and in that time has made many friends. He was a man who always proved loyal to his friends. His family is well known here and has the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

## AZBILL--SCHRAMM WEDDING.

### A Beautiful Affair Solemnized at Page Home.

One of the most beautiful weddings ever solemnized in Columbia was that between Miss Ethel Walcott Azbill and Mr. Louis Edward Schramm at the old Page Home on Campbellsville street last Thursday morning at nine o'clock.

The house was most beautifully decorated with Southern smilax, chrysanthemums and palms and the room in which the ceremony was performed an improvised aisle of white tulle and smilax led from near the door to the bower in the opposite corner, made of a bare tree with limbs banked with smilax and chrysanthemums.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Lafayette Page, in a beautiful imported pearl silk carrying a bouquet of white roses led the way, followed by Miss Azbill, in a handsome gown of Mauve Chiffon Cloth and white tulle, who wore a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the Valley, accompanied by Dr. Lafayette Page. They were met in the corner by the groom and Mr. Paul Azbill, the best man.

Eld. W. K. Azbill, father of the bride, performed the ceremony using the beautiful Episcopal form, after which a short reception was held.

Immediately after dinner the bridal couple accompanied by Miss Hermine Schramm and Mrs. Paul Azbill left in an automobile for Lebanon catching the afternoon train to Louisville. From Louisville the party left for New Orleans and will go to Cuba provided the fever conditions there will permit.

As announced a few weeks ago in the News, the following invited guests were present: Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Page, Indianapolis, Dr. and Mrs. Roke Blakeman, Indianapolis, Miss Hermine Schramm, Chicago, Mrs. Williams and Miss Ruth Williams, Campbellville, and a few relatives and friends in town.

### BUGGY DEMOLISHED.

Rev. W. A. Hines, Presiding Elder of the Columbia District, had a runaway one day last week, near Mannsville, that resulted in totally demolishing his buggy. The only part saved from the wreck was the pole. He stopped at a shop to have one of his horses shod and left the other one hitched to the buggy with a man to watch him. The horse scared at a little wagon that some children were running, and made such a sudden dash that the watcher was not worth a copper. Mr. Hines bought another vehicle and returned home that day, but the horse has been under the care of our Veterinary Surgeon, Mr. S. D. Greshaw, for a few days.

LOST:—On the square, or on Jamestown street between Eubanks and the square, a Gold filled Hunting case, silver movement, 11 jewel watch, size 16. Finder please return to News office.

If you want a free schoolmaster, write to the County School Board, intended by December 31st.

## SMYTHE---CARTWRIGHT.

### Two of Columbia's Best Young People to Wed December 12th.

On Wednesday, December the 12th, at 8 p. m., Mr. G. P. Smythe and Miss Leola Catherine Cartwright will take the solemn vows of matrimony, at the home of the intended bride's parents, in this city, Eld. Z. T. Williams to be the officiating clergyman.

The wedding will be a quiet one, only the immediate families of the contracting parties to be present and witness the solemn rites. This happy event will unite the lives of two of our most worthy young people whose two years devotion to each other foreshadowed matrimonial intentions.

Mr. Smith is a young man of ability, a true gentleman and enjoys as large a circle of substantial friends as any man in this part of the country, all of whom have been made by upright, honorable living. By profession he is a lawyer and by decree of the people of this country, he is our county Attorney, whose fidelity to duty has never been questioned and whose desires and efforts are commendable as a public official.

Miss Cartwright is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Cartwright, deservedly popular with the young people of Columbia, and truly worthy the hand and heart of the gentleman of her choice. She is well educated, possesses the many graces of true refinement, which make homes happy and the world brighter and better.

In advance of this happy, yet solemn event, the News joins their many friends in extending congratulations.

### THE RECEPTION.

The reception given by Prof. C. F. Ohlenmacher's musical history class on last Friday afternoon at the M. & F. College was a society event to be long and pleasantly remembered by those present.

The decorations of the hall were in the class colors, tastefully festooned from walls and ceiling, while roses and chrysanthemums were arranged in profusion about the studio.

The guests were announced by Prof. Ohlenmacher to Dr. Whitfield, who together with the young ladies of the musical history class made up the receiving line.

The young ladies were beautifully gowned in white, and received their guests with the dignity and hospitality of the true Kentucky gentlewoman.

The punch bowl was gracefully presided over by little Misses Grace Conover and Mary Myers.

Delightful refreshments were served during the afternoon to the 65 guests present.

The favors were also in the class colors. The young ladies were, assisted in entertaining by Prof. Ohlenmacher, Misses Taylor and Kemp.

The guests who were so pleasantly entertained, have unanimously pronounced it the most enjoyable social event of the season.

## ACCIDENT AT GREENSBURG.

### Miss Maude Cantrell Seriously Injured in a Run-away.

Sunday night shortly after the arrival of the train from Louisville, our people were startled by loud calls of alarm coming from the road leading to the depot from town. It was soon learned that the horse attached to a buggy in which were seated W. F. Cantrell and his beautiful 15 year old daughter, Miss Maude. They came in on the train and were riding home when at the top of the hill the buggy ran down on the horse which started to run. Miss Maude either jumped or was thrown out by the motion of the buggy and was picked up unconscious and removed to Dr. O. H. Shively's, where she was tenderly cared for and examined by Drs. O. H. Shively and father and Dr. E. L. Snyder. My bones were broken but she has never regained consciousness to the hope of going to press. The

horse continued to run until near Main street north, when Mr. Cantrell succeeded in stopping him and went back after her. The young lady was backed to her home where all that is possible was done for her.

LATER—Wednesday night Dr. McChord, of Lebanon, came down on the late train to perform an operation on Miss Maude Cantrell's head, she having never regained consciousness since the runaway accident Sunday night. He found the skull fractured on the right side back and indications of blood on the brain. Thursday morning she was removed on the early train to the Infirmary at Lebanon where expert care can be giving her. A successful operation was performed and she is doing well.—Greensburg Record.

### CLASS RECITAL.

On last Wednesday afternoon the music pupil's of Prof. Ohlenmacher gave another in their series of class recitals.

The lives of C. P. E. Bach, Haydn and Mozart were under consideration for an hour.

The papers on these composers read by Misses Elizabeth Rowe, Martha Hancock and Dimple Conover showed careful preparation. Miss Grace Conover's rendition of one of C. P. E. Bach's compositions was faultless.

Following these exercises came an instructive talk by Prof. Ohlenmacher on the composers.

These recitals grow in interest and the public attention is very encouraging to their instructor.

### MOVED TO OKLAHOMA.

Mr. W. M. Looper and family, of Sewelton, Russell county, stopped over with Mr. J. R. McFarland, of this section, a couple of days, and left for Oklahoma, where they will make their future home. Mr. Looper was one of Russell county's best citizens, and his removal West is to place his growing family under more progressive circumstances in the business world. One by one this country is giving up its best citizens to aid in building other States.

### SUPERVISORS IN SESSION.

Messrs. W. F. Jeffries, W. A. Coffey and L. B. Hurt, composing the Board of Supervisors of the Town of Columbia, have been in session since Monday morning. A great many summons are being issued for property holders to come before the board and show cause why they shouldn't be raised.

### REMOVED TO ADAIR.

Mr. W. G. Burchett and family, of Jamestown, removed to their home near the Stapp Roller Mill last Tuesday. We are glad to welcome this good family to our community and trust that health and prosperity may be theirs. Mr. Burchett recently purchased an interest in the Stapp Roller Mill and is now in charge of the plant.

### PAID LIST.

### The News Honor Roll. "Is Your Name Written There?"

W. R. Dohoney, R. P. Bridgewater, J. L. Wilson, G. A. Edwards, R. D. Tucker, Wm. Hicks, Nealy Morrison, A. J. Mauk, J. H. Jimson, S. A. McMahon, Daniel Forggett, Miss Cora Phillips, G. A. Cheatham, T. C. Moore, Rev. C. R. Payne, C. R. Coward, Dolphus England, Chas. Hutchinson, W. A. Helm, Mary E. Jeffries, R. F. Bryant, L. V. Turner, L. D. Simms, G. W. Spillman, James W. Westington, Ezekiel Westington, Mrs. L. B. Graft, M. L. Shepherd, F. G. Willis, Mrs. Mary E. Robinson, Sam Grant, L. C. Powell, J. K. Powell, W. M. Looper, Trigg DeFevers, G. B. Cheatham, Jno. A. Caldwell, J. F. Reynolds, W. T. Moore, S. S. Vanhook, Mrs. Rose Yates, F. I. Ingram, W. N. Smith, Claud Callison, Chas. Brumag, G. A. Bradshaw, Y. E. Hurt, Neal Marshall, C. W. Bryant, John Medaris.

Mr. R. L. Sherrill, of Milltown, is advertising a public sale of personal property in today's News, preparatory to removing to Quannah, Texas.

## FROM QUANAH, TEX.

### W. L. Grady, of Gradyville, Writes Interesting Letter.

Our party left Kentucky, Tuesday, Nov. 20th and arrived at St. Louis next morning where we encountered a severe storm, sleeting and snowing. It continued for eight hours, and for 200 miles all telegraphic communications toward the West was broken. Snow was from 4 to 12 inches deep and up on the plains was 4 to 15 feet deep. Not a single train run on the Ft. Worth and Denison road for five days. We arrived at Quannah Thursday evening, seven hours late.

Quannah is a fine little town of 2,200 inhabitants surrounded by a great farming country which is being rapidly developed. We venture the assertion that more money is spent here in one day, than in all Adair county. The smallest stores take in from \$500 to \$800 cash. The people of the surrounding country haul goods away by the wagon load, usually exchanging cotton at 11 cents.

Labor is in great demand here, prices ranging from \$2 to \$5 per day; from the cotton pickers make from \$5 to \$6 per day.

Mr. J. J. Hunter bought one tract of land and we go out today to view several more. All of our party are well pleased, Mr. J. A. Diddle says if he had the money he would purchase the entire country. Mr. Diddle leaves in a few days for Roswell, N. M., and I will visit relatives at Brownwood, Tex., until December 18th.

Our Kentucky party is stopping with Dr. E. F. Taylor, formerly of Lisletown, Ky., who is proprietor of a good hotel. I spent a few days at Memphis, Tex., visiting my brother-in-law, W. A. Breed ing, who has been located there for fifteen years and has a fine section for which he refused \$19,200. Land all over Texas is advancing rapidly, worth now \$10 to \$40 an acre that could have been bought six months ago for \$3 to \$2.

I will close this letter by saying I will be back in Old Kentucky where the sunshines bright and good Peacocks grow, about Christmas.

W. L. GRADY.

Mr. Asure Damron, who recently returned from the West, was, last week reunited to the lady of his choice, Elder Tobias Huffman tying the nuptial knot. Mr. Damron and wife will spend the Winter in Adair with his father, Mr. Elzy Damron, and next Spring they expect to again locate in the West.

The News extends congratulations, trusting that happiness and prosperity may ever be theirs.

Rev. S. J. Nichols who has been visiting his children and grand children in Hart and other counties in that part of the state for the last 8 months returned to Columbia last week. Mr. Nichols will be 82 years of age within a few weeks and is a well preserved man. He has been a member of the Methodist church for 60 years and a minister of the Gospel for 50 years. Good living, devotion to truth and justice has its reward in this as truly as in the life to come.

Mr. U. P. Morgan, of Glensfork, who was hurt some time ago, by getting mashed with a tobacco prize, and who has been confined to his room for nearly two months, is now able to stir out a little. He was severely hurt, and is yet a weak man, but is recovering. Mr. Morgan is one of our industrious, honest, hard-working citizens, and we trust he will soon be entirely well.

The town Council is demonstrating the worth of the rock crusher and making the most available way for the building of roads throughout our county. If you have not seen the crusher take stones you may have doubts, but all those who have witnessed it at work would heartily endorse the county buying one just like it.

The Lindsay-Wilson Training School has an "ad" in another column. This is one of the best schools in Southern Kentucky and the grade of work turned out by this institution is a splendid endorsement.



# Hobson's Slaughter Sale--Dry Goods

John A. Hobson, Greensburg, Ky., is going to quit the Dry Goods business and needs floor space for heavy Hardware and other heavy goods that he already has in stock. He will make his place of business the "ONLY HARDWARE STORE" in this section.

Overcoats, Clothing, Jackets, Long Coats, Shoes, Hats, Dress Goods--Everything in Dry Goods Less than Factory Prices

**JOHN A. HOBSON GREENSBURG KY.**

## PINE BLUFF, ARK.,

Letter From J. McScott, City Editor of The Daily Graphic.

While making my last rounds for Sunday's paper Saturday night just as the city clock was striking the hour of 1, I observed two forms about a half a block ahead and heard two half angry voices discussing the productiveness of two farms. As I drew near I heard one say: "But I tell you you don't know what you are talking about. I can raise all kinds of the finest fruit I ever saw on any farm--your place can't hold a candle to it." This recalled a conversation I heard last year in front of Hughes & Coffey's when Col. J. Newt Coffey was having his say about the wonderful fruit produced on his "Briar Domain" patch near Gradyville. It also recalled the trick he tried to work a few days later by stealing some of John Diddle's fine apples and having them "writ up" as the production of "Briar's Domain" patch.

Pine Bluff is quite a little city, has a population of 20,000 and is the third best town in the state. There are three daily papers here, two afternoon and one morning--entirely machine composition. The Graphic runs three single and one double-deck linotypes and by the way, this is the only double decker in the state.

I have been so busy getting on the inside of the work since I came here that I have not had time to go into the country but am told that the city is surrounded by the best cotton, corn and fruit country in the state.

Standing on the bluff one has a fine view of the country across the Arkansas river for fifteen miles and the farms appear to be in as good condition as the floods will permit. The land on the north side of the river for several miles, over flows almost every year and rescue boats are kept busy removing families to places of safety. It would appear from this that that section would be very unhealthy, yet I am told by the health officer that the people do not suffer any more from malaria than those of other sections.

Considering the size of the town and the crowds that throng the streets daily, splendid order prevails. There are only ten prisoners in the county jail and many mornings there is not a single case on the police court docket, to the sorrow of the weary pencil pusher who hoped for a full docket

and several interesting stories.

This is a fine mule market and I would advise some of the boys from Adair to give it a trial. They will not have to return home with notes like they do when they sell in the Guano districts of "Alabama" and Georgia. They can make quick cash sales here. I am also of the opinion that "Hecky" Coffey, Joe Burley Young and Ed Atkins could do well in the false face business in some sections of Arkansas. Ed could furnish the pattern, Hecky the shoddy cloth and Joe Burley could paint 'em up. With best wishes for the News and all my Adair county friends, I am, sincerely, J. McScott.

E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago, at whose laboratory Kodol is prepared, assure us that this remarkable digestant and corrective for the stomach conforms fully to all provisions of the National Pure Food and Drug Law. The Kodol laboratory is a very large one, but if all the sufferers from indigestion and stomach troubles could know the virtues of Kodol it would be impossible for the manufacturers to keep up with the demand. Kodol is sold here by Dr. J. N. Page.

## GLENSFORK.

G. B. Taylor and wife, East Fork, visited relatives at this place Saturday and Sunday.

Z. T. Taylor, of this place, who is employed by L. T. Bradshaw & Co., has just finished bucking a large quantity of staves on Harrods fork.

Lawrence Wilkinson sold his farm to M. O. Willis and has purchased a lot of Mrs. Mary L. Wheat in this town and will commence the erection of a new residence soon.

George Carmon and family, formerly of Wayne county, are temporarily occupying the Grider property, this place. Mr. Carmon will have charge of the Upton farm on Glensfork next year.

Messrs. Elford Hadley, Elbert Keeton, Joe Morgan, Tilford Petty and sister, Miss Annie, attended the social at Will Samuels' Saturday night.

Joel Wilkinson who recently bought the Basil Chapman property is now occupying his new home. Mr. Wilkinson is a good citizen and we are glad to have him with us.

**An Alarming situation** frequently results from clogged bowels and torpid liver, until constipation becomes chronic. This condition is unknown to those who use Dr. King's New Life Pills; the best and gentlest regulators of Stomach and Bowels. Guaranteed by T. E. Paull, druggist Price 25c.

## DIRIGO.

Corn gathering is almost a thing of the past in this section.

Master Walter Harvey is very sick with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Houston Strange has been quite sick for the past few days, but is some better at this writing.

Finis Stotts and wife, who have been in Indiana for several months, returned home last Wednesday.

Several from this place attended the singing at Keith's Chapel last Sunday.

Born, to the wife of J. R. Cummins on the 25th a daughter.

R. S. Royse was in Columbia last Monday.

Miss Lula Breeding, Columbia, is visiting her uncle, J. R. Royse, this week.

J. W. McClister sold one milch cow to Eldridge Stotts for \$20.

Ed Stotts is now an inhabitant of Dirigo.

Messrs. G. G. Campbell and Landy Stotts visited J. S. Young, Burksville, last Saturday and Sunday.

Campbell & Stotts are running their saw mill in Cumberland this week. They are trying to clear the yard before the holidays.

Evan Strange and Venus Royse are yarding staves for Pulliam, Yates & Co., Fairplay.

Messrs. H. E. Kinnaird and J. M. Campbell are stocking their farm with Belgian hares. Mr. Kinnaird says that he believes there is more pay in the rabbit industry than in teaching school.

## FAIRPLAY.

Mr. H. C. Burbridge's little daughter, Cora Alta, who has been confined to her bed with pneumonia fever is improving.

Prof. Wesley Turner will sing at Pierces Chapel the First Sunday.

Miss Avada Grider, of Inroad, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Callie Loy is sick at this writing.

Mrs. W. D. Hammons is visiting her parents at Joppa this week.

Our merchants at this place are doing good business.

The crushed stone placed on Greensburg street two weeks ago is beginning to cement together, making a road which is level as a floor and solid as stone can make it. Burksville street is being treated with a coat of the same material.

## Woodson Lewis Greensburg, Kentucky.

Is causing the usual stir in "Old Greensburg." Has refitted his immense store and filled it with Drygoods, Clothing, Notions, Hosiery and Shoes. When others quit he is always there.

**\$15,000.00 Stock of Drygoods: \$10,000.00 Stock of CLOTHING. \$10,000 STOCK OF SHOES \$10,000 STOCK LADIES AND GENTS FURNISHINGS.**

The greatest Stock of Dress Goods ever seen in Green River section.

Every one in Adair county is earnestly invited to call.

## Woodson Lewis, - Greensburg

## LUMBER WANTED!

We are in the market for Lumber at our Columbia Yard. We give fair inspection and pay highest cash prices. Give us a Trial.

## Standard Saw Mill Co.

B. F. RAKESTRAW, Manager.  
E. H. NEWBERRY, Yard Foreman.



## Coffins AND Caskets

I keep ready for use all kinds of Coffins and Caskets which will be sold at short profits. Give me a call and be convinced that it would be to your interest to patronize my shop.

J. E. Snow, Russell Springs



**HENRY W. EDDLEMAN**  
408 W. MARKET ST.--LOUISVILLE, KY.

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Diamonds and Precious Stones.



Jewelry and Opticians.

Special attention given to work and all orders in of goods in our line.

Opposite Music Hall

132 W. Market St. Louisville, Ky.

**W. Everett Lester****DENTIST****Liberty, - - Kentucky****Hotel Barber Shop**

I am conducting a Barber shop in the corner room of the Columbia Hotel and ask for liberal patronage.

**G. T. Flowers, Jr.****MEDICAL SOCIETY MEETING.**

On Thursday, the 8th of November, the Adair County Medical Society had its most successful meeting. The attendance was large, and the meeting very enthusiastic. Two papers were read, and freely discussed; one by William Blair, of Glenfork, on Chronic Brights disease, the other by Dr. U. L. Taylor, on Pneumonia. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, December, 13th at which a full attendance is desired. Important business is to be transacted. November, 28th, 1906.

U. L. TAYLOR, Sec.

**SUBSCRIPTION AGENCY.**

S. F. White has made arrangements with the leading magazines and periodicals and is now getting out a handsome forty-four page catalog of his offerings. His rates are guaranteed to be as low as any Magazine and Subscription Agency in the country, and many magazines can save you money which other dealers do not club. Send for one of his catalogs, it will cost you only a postal.

**TELEPHONE OPERATORS**

**Why It Is That Pretty Young Ladies With Pleasant Disposition are Chosen To Fill Places?**

While I am discussing various subjects through the press, I deem it unfair not to make some creditable mention of the young lady telephone operators of our country. I have often been remarkably impressed with their patience and courtesy under the trying circumstances through which they have to pass sometimes. I have known of some occasions when it was well that a girl was at the switchboard because if of the same mind that I was right at that time, some words might have escaped into the transmitter that could not be found in the Sunday School lesson.

Some time ago an instance came under my observation which convinced me beyond any doubt that a telephone girl possesses an unimpaired amount of patience and courage to make a successful operator. I called for a certain party one day and central rang the number two or three times, and I waited presently she came on the line and said: "Have they answered?" I told her they hadn't. She rang again and I continued to wait. In a moment she came on again and said: "Did they answer?" "No ma'am" I replied you needn't try again; Oh yes came the voice back over the phone. I'll try again for you, just wait a little longer on the line, she said, sweetly. I told her I would, and she rang and rang again. Finally I hung up the receiver and went off and I thought to myself, that girl has got more patience than I have under such circumstances and it is almost impossible to get her out of humor. Some times there will be 10 or 12 ringing the central office at one time, and she will invariably answer all the calls in that same pleasant tone of voice which makes a man ashamed of himself when he is inclined to get out of humor in the least. To operate the switchboard certainly requires patience, nerve, courage, and any young lady who possesses these admirable traits will make an operator to be admired by both patrons and public. Why do I say that a majority of the telephone girls are good looking. Simply because pretty girls are nearly in every case pleasant and courteous, and these are two

essential qualities in the successful Hello girl. I have seen them in the larger cities and towns, and this rule will hold good in most cases. F. McL.

**DUE TO COMMERCIAL CLUB.**

Mr. J. W. Quinn, southern representative of Hastings Industrial Co., has been in Burkesville, for several days viewing the prospects for a canning factory. Mr. Quinn claims that he is meeting with much encouragement and it is very likely a plant will be located at that point. Burkesville has a commercial Club that is awake.

Why not organize a commercial club in Columbia that will stay organized and bring things to pass?

**OPINION OF A CORRESPONDENT**

**On the Change Recently Made in the Adair County News.**

The following letter from our Pelly-ton correspondent, Mr. Samuel L. Coffey, is a sample of the kind words we are receiving in praise of our efforts to publish a strictly local paper for Columbia, Adair and adjoining counties; "As a correspondent and reader of the News, we are pleased to note the recent improvement in the plan of the paper in regard to local news. It has certainly almost reached the point of perfection in giving the interesting news items of Adair, and the adjoining counties, and one who wants to keep posted on all the local happenings certainly could not ask for a great deal more than it is now giving. It is also gratifying to observe the spirit of energy and advancement it is putting forth in behalf of Adair and adjoining counties.

That is right, Mr. Editor, fight a good fight, keep the faith, and your reward will come later as a result of your labor in the material, intellectual and moral improvement of our entire community. Discuss live questions without fear or favor, rendering honor to whom honor is due, always upholding the right and condemning the wrong in either high or low places, tell the whole truth fearlessly, and future generations will rise up and call you blessed."

**JASON M. YARBERRY, DEAD.**

Mr. Jason M. Yarberry died at his late home in the Sparkville country, last Thursday evening, November 29th, a victim of kidney trouble.

The deceased was fifty-five years of age, a brother of Mr. Marshall Yarberry, of Columbia, and was one of the best known men in that section of Adair county. For twenty years Mr. Yarberry served as constable, and was considered a good officer and was one of the leading citizens of that country.

The remains were laid to rest Friday, witnessed by a large assemblage, in the Antioch cemetery.

**SHIPPED HORSES TO ARKANSAS.**

Messrs. Robt. Hudson, of this city, and H. C. Barnes, of Somerset, bought a carload of extra good horses in this and adjoining counties recently at from Little Rock, Arkansas, where it will be sold.

If you wish a four years' free scholarship to the State Normal School at Bowling Green register your name with the County Superintendent on or before December 8th, and enter the examination Saturday, December 15th.

**SERVICES BEGIN.**

To-night (Tuesday) the Rev. T. L. Hulse, of Pembroke, Ky., will begin a series of meetings at the Methodist Church South in this city. The services have been well advertised and it is confidently expected that a large congregation will be in attendance throughout the meetings.

Nearly every man or boy who could beg, borrow or buy a gun, muzzle or breech loader, was in the fields Thanksgiving, making life miserable to the poor little "bunnies" and quail. Many reports of large killings and miraculous shots are heard, but we venture the assertion that more good ammunition was wasted and less game bagged to the number of hunters than for many years previous.

Don't you think it is about time to take some action in regard to the public square?

**A DECIDED SUCCESS.**

**Was the Band Entertainment Thanksgiving Evening.**

The Band entertainment Thanksgiving evening was one of the most enjoyable affairs that has been witnessed in Columbia this season. Every person in the large audience was unstinted in their praise of the program and the faultless manner in which it was rendered. The band has given several entertainments, all of which were good, but the one last week was voted to be their best effort.

It would require too much space to give every number the praise due, but suffice it to say that the entire program was well executed, and the audience more than pleased.

The boys were assisted by Miss Grace Meek, of the Lindsay-Wilson Training School and Miss Margaret Taylor, of the M. & F. High School, elocutionists; Prof. C. F. Ohlenmeyer's class, Mrs. L. L. Round's class, Miss Hattie May Pendland and Jennie Garrett, Mrs. Rose Starks, and little Miss Nell Hancock and Dora Eubank.

The Band boys wish to thank the many who so kindly assisted them in the program, and to the people of Columbia who show their substantial appreciation of the band.

**DO YOU KNOW HIM?**

**Letter Received by the News Asking for Information of A. J. Karnes.**

Several days since we received a letter asking for information concerning A. J. Karnes. The letter was written from Casey, Ill., by woman claiming to be Karnes's wife. She said that he had deserted her and she believed he had returned to Fairplay, Ky., where she had been informed he had another wife. We have made inquiry, but can learn of no such man in that section and can get positively no information about said party. Mrs. Karnes says that her husband was a native of Adair county. From Monday's Louisville Times we clip the following concerning the case:

"That her husband, a traveling man, had wives in many of the towns he was accustomed to visit is the discovery that Mrs. A. J. Karnes, of Casey, Ill., alleges she has made. Mrs. Karnes is now on the trail of her husband and also she declares, on the trail of her husband's wives. She says she is anxious to know what has become of one or two who have disappeared. Mrs. Karnes visited Linton yesterday in the hopes of finding her husband there. She was too late, however. She told this story of her troubles: "Karnes has always acted queerly. He became restless and wished to go on the road and I acquiesced. At Christmas, Ind., he became infatuated with another woman and later, taking \$600 worth belonged to me, he left. I went to East St. Louis, but my trip there cost me more sorrow and disgrace than anything else. In the course of my rounds I found out a number of things which I was not previously aware of. I am convinced that my husband had a wife in Fairplay, Ky., and another in Glasgow, Ky., and one in Evansville, Ind."

**EXAMINATIONS**

**For Appointments To State Normal School at Bowling Green.**

County Superintendent Mrs. Georgia Shelton will hold the examination in this city, Saturday, December 15th, for appointments to State Normal School at Bowling Green.

Adair county is entitled to 6 free scholarships in this institution, and those who wish to compete for these appointments must register with the County Superintendent on or before December 8th. If you want to be examined do not fail to make application by the date named. This is a great opportunity for a four years' free scholarship and one that we trust will be taken advantage of.

As above stated the competitive examination will be held by the County Superintendent on Saturday, December 15, 1906, between the hours of 8:30 A. M., and 3:30 P. M. The examination will be held upon arithmetic, geography, grammar, United States history, and spelling, upon questions prepared and sent out by the Normal Executive Council. The applicant must make a general average of seventy-five per cent., with no grade on any branch under sixty-five per cent.

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WED., DEC. 5, 1906.

Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, has long been noted as a game man, one who is not afraid to speak "in open court," or meet an issue in the camp of an enemy. Last week he lectured in Chicago on the "Race Problem" in the face of assassination rumors and a threatened uprising of the negroes of that city to prevent free speech. Mayor Dunne, asked by the ladies in charge, refused to preside at the meeting after a large delegation of blacks had beseeched him to interfere. Senator Tillman scored the Mayor in no uncertain tone, and stated that he was merely the "Creature of a political hour." In view of the hostility manifested to the lecturer, there were many policemen and detectives to guard the meeting. In his speech he said: "The Northern people are making the fatal error of permitting the blacks to grow into the belief that they could muzzle a United States Senator." He also said: "The people of the North could not understand the imminent peril of the Southern whites, but in time the menace would be brought home to them with terrible force." The Race Problem has never been solved. It is one of momentous import to both races, and to all sections of our great country, but more especially to the Southern States. The Northern people seem indifferent to its solution, but rather force to the friction by engaging the negro and criticizing the Southern whites. A aloof from the intellectual South in its attitude toward the situation of the southern people in political and intellectual both races.

Year by year the difference is becoming more aggravated, and the solution more complicated, and in the very face of such conditions the sentiment of the North seems to be shaped by the keen edge of political environment. Senator Tillman may be, and doubtless is, an extremist in his views on the Race Problem, but the conduct of Mayor Dunne and the many who sought to suppress free speech, is the acme of extremism. Dunne appears to be a powerful little man in a large and responsible place. The best minds of both races in the South are not indifferent to the evil forebodings of the future; they see the picture darkening as the years come and go, and are seeking to avert the danger. The sooner the intelligence of the North realizes the peril of the South, the better it will be. The good of both races is involved, and no part of our country should dodge the responsibility of a peaceful, righteous adjustment if possible.

What a sad picture is presented by the staggers of a man under the influence of strong drink! How strange that men of good intellect will yield to the temptation of the bottle, forsake friends, surrender honor and wallow in the mire of dissipation! We have often wondered why these things happen, why the young man of good training, honorable parentage and bright intellect, endowed by the Creator for great usefulness, can make such a tremendous sacrifice. The weeks in every part of the country, the shame and certain destruction of the drunkard stand out to warn the young man of the dangers of drink. The man who has passed the meridian of an average life, who has been indifferent to the advice of his best friends and his own judgment is not so much an object of pity as the young man who is just starting, probably unconsciously, to a drunkard's grave—an untimely ending. The whisky traffic, its manufacture and sale is an evil so powerful and so destructive that the people throughout the land are really becoming alarmed. Its sale is becoming more and more restricted, and the Legislatures of nearly every State are grappling with this monster to stamp it out. In the face of local government, overriding desires of communities and State laws, our

National Government authorizes its manufacture and sale. If the active leaders of prohibition will cause Congress to be flooded with petitions asking for such legislation as will protect any and every community from such interference doubtless such a law would be made, and it would be of more value than any step yet taken. The National Government is master of the situation.

Congressman Bennett, of the Ninth District, was the victim of an over dose of confidence a few days ago. He was attending festivities in Charlestown, when an acquaintance asked for a loan of \$20. The Congressman was too much engaged to write a check so his friend prepared it for \$2000 instead of \$20.00 which he signed in a hurry and joined the merry whirl. Next day he found that he had been pulled and immediately took steps to recover his loss. The party was arrested in Cincinnati.

Rev. A. R. Kasey's sermon last Sunday morning, was one that marked the path of duty, that pointed out the way clearly and hit where the licks were needed. It is a blessing of inestimable value for any community to hear such sermons. Plain duty prescribed, righteous criticism or rebuke given, can not fail of good results. In the right spirit his plain, strong message was delivered.

## GRADYVILLE.

Dr. L. C. Nell bagged nine of the feathery tribe last Thursday. Dr. S. A. Taylor informed us his new mill was doing a good business at Keltner.

Mrs. R. L. Caldwell visited her relatives in the Milltown community, one day last week.

Miss Sallie Diddle, of Columbia, visited Mrs. Mollie Diddle several days of last week.

Mrs. H. A. Walker and daughter, of Columbia, were calling on relatives in our city one day last week.

Mrs. Florence Furgison and daughter, Miss Mary, of Cumberland county, were visiting Mrs. C. Wilmore at this place, a few days of last week.

Mrs. Thos. Yates, of East Fork, visited her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Hill at this place, a few days of last week.

Gov. J. R. Hindman in com-

pany with Hon. Leslie Powell, of Columbia, were in our community last Saturday night, fox hunting.

Mr. Hawly, the well known stock man, of Louisville, in company with Owen Hardesty, of Campbellsville, were with our stock men a few days of last week in the interest of live stock.

Mesdames J. O. Russell and Lou Miller, of Columbia, visited the family of Mr. Joe Hunter one day last week.

Mrs. Helen Wilmore, of Columbia, was the guest of Mrs. L. C. Hindman last Saturday.

We are glad to note that Mr. Allen Keltner and family, of Sulphur Well, are now citizens of our community.

Several from our town attended the band entertainment at Columbia, Thursday night.

Mr. A. G. Wilmore, Chicago, Ill., spent a few days with his relatives in our city last week.

Rev. G. Y. Wilson, after one week's visit at Scottsville, returned home last Saturday.

C. S. Bell received a nice lot of hogs at this place last Friday at 51 cents per pound.

Mr. L. C. Hindman was transacting business in Columbia last Saturday.

Mr. John H. Caldwell and mother, of Milltown, were transacting business here one day last week.

Mr. C. S. Bell informed our reporter that he spent Thanksgiving day at Columbia very pleasantly and enjoyed a first class dinner at the Columbia Hotel.

Mr. Martin, the up-to-date hotel man, of Edmontown, was at the Wilmore house last Monday and informed us that every thing was moving along nicely at home.

Thanksgiving day was observed by several of our people, and we must say that Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge delivered a very excellent sermon appropriate for the occasion at the Methodist church, this place, on that day.

We are always glad when it is convenient for Bro. Sandidge to preach for us.

The protracted services, conducted by Revs. Wilson, the pastor, and Walbert, of Metcalf county, at Big Creek church, are doing great good for that community. Up to this time there has been twenty professions and

and the good work is still going on.

Mr. Charles Yates, of our town, informed our reporter a few days ago that he had received a letter from his nephew, Mr. Willie Grady, of Indian Creek Texas, stating what boys could make down in his state picking cotton. Mr. Grady's three boys average from four to six dollars per day at the business. We are glad to receive such news and especially from people from Gradyville.

On last Thursday at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Moss, of our city, gathered a few of their relatives and friends to partake of the elegant dinner that had been prepared by his estimable wife. We have not time nor space to make mention of the good things that had been prepared for this occasion but to say the least it will long be remembered by every one present and will be grateful for another occasion like this.

## VESTER.

Hauling wood, moving, gathering corn, and logging is the order of the day.

Most all the hogs will be slaughtered this week as contagious diseases are spreading and getting near us. Though no one in the immediate vicinity have lost any yet.

Bro. Southerland, of Concord, delivered some interesting sermons last Saturday and Sunday at Bear Wallow.

Mr. Grant finished the list for our district last Saturday afternoon.

E. L. Poynter, one of our industrious farmers, is hauling logs for a mill set on his farm. Will be ready for sawing by the first of the year.

Mrs. Betsey Bryant remains in the same low state of health.

Mr. Mathew McDaniel is completing a nice barn this week on his farm here.

Drury Moore is located on his farm here feeding a bunch of hogs.

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## PELTYTON.

Most farmers are about done gathering corn. The yield is not up to the expectation, and the quality of a great deal of it is inferior owing to so much of it being rotten.

J. H. Pelly recently moved from a farm near here to the property he purchased in Columbia, and Levi Henson has moved into the house formerly occupied by him.

The schools in this section will soon close out. We presume all teachers and pupils will be glad to finish the school term before the Christmas holidays as the weather usually gets disagreeable in the winter for country schools.

Mrs. Ermine Jeffries and daughter, Alma, of Celeste, Ky., visited her old home during the sickness and death of Mrs. Jeffries' mother.

So far as we know most fattening hogs in this community are almost fat enough to kill, and will probably nearly all be slaughtered before Christmas.

Mrs. Lynnie Moss has been visiting relatives and friends here and at Edith for the past several days.

It is gratifying to note the words of commendation in the News in praise of W. G. Ellis in regard to the work done on the public road of which he is overseer. Mr. Ellis has kindly promised your correspondent that he will write up before long quite a lengthy article on how to make good roads according to his experience, and have it published in the News. Lookout for it soon.

Mrs. Fannie Roberts and little daughter, of Portland, Indiana, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Pelly.

Messrs. Luther Perryman, Walter and Oscar Sinclair, J. A. Harden, Marvin Perryman and others, are having quite an interesting and instructive debating society here. They meet each Saturday evening and discuss questions of vital importance. Many celebrated orators have gained their first inspirations in this kind of societies, have overcome embarrassment, and were then enabled to talk while standing on their feet. Success to the society.

Mrs. Fannie Roberts and daughter, Amelia, who have been visiting relatives at this place for several weeks, left Sunday for their home in Portland Ind.

Mr. J. C. Sims, of Campbellsville, dealer in tombstones, was through our community last week.

Mr. J. R. workman, who has been sick for some time, died the 26th. He leaves a wife and a number of friends to mourn his loss.

Mr. S. C. Neat, the traveling salesman, was with our merchants one day last week.

Mr. Levi Henson and wife, of Dunnville, moved last Saturday to Mr. S. L. Coffey's farm.

Messrs. Sanders & Lemmon have opened up a new grocery store in our town.

Mr. J. P. Coffey sold a boundary of hickory timber, to Mr. Frank Pendleton for \$100, also Mr. D. K. Pelly sold to some parties a boundary for \$156.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Martin and five children have returned home after an extended visit to Mr. Martin's mother, 83 years of age, who lives in Taylor county.

On Monday the 18th instant,

Mrs. Henson, the wife of Joseph Henson died of typhoid fever, after an illness of only a few weeks. She leaves a husband and a large family of children most of whom are grown or nearly grown, besides a number of relatives and friends to mourn her loss. The burial took place at the Tabernacle burying ground on Wednesday following. Her son Bennett, who has been very low with the same kind of fever is improving and it is thought is beyond the danger point.

Mrs. Susan Coffey the subject of this sketch was born near Stanford, Ky., February 12th, 1830, and died November 20, 1906. Her maiden name was Susan Dudderar, and she was married to Warren Coffey September 14, 1852. To this union were born two daughters and six sons, one of whom died many years ago.

She lived to a ripe old age, nearly seventy-seven years, and her whole life was a continual source of good deeds nobly done. No act, no word, or deed that was not strictly upright in its tendency ever received her approbation, and she always stood ready to commend the right in everything, and condemn the wrong. Being raised up in the good old days of strict honesty and integrity, and taught those principles in youth, she adhered strictly to them during her long life, and all those who came under the sphere of her influence felt the power radiating from a strong and noble womanhood. The description of a grand and noble woman as recorded in the thirty-first chapter of Proverbs, beginning at the tenth verse, may appropriately be applied in this instance.

She accepted her Savior many years ago, and was ready and waiting when the summons came. The loss sustained by her children, relatives and friends is her eternal gain. "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord that they may rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

## Following the Flag.

When our soldiers went to Cuba and the Philippines, health was the most important consideration. Willis T. Morgan, retired Commissary Sergeant U. S. A., of Rural Route 1, Concord, New Hampshire, says: "I was two years in Cuba, and two years in the Philippines, and being subject to colds, I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption which kept me in perfect health. And now in New Hampshire we find it the best medicine in the world for coughs, colds, bronchial troubles and all those diseases." Guaranteed at T. E. Paul's drugstore. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

## OZARK.

Corn is about all in and we hear a deal of complaint about rotten corn.

Ed Maupin, the shoe drummer, was here recently and sold a nice bill of shoes.

G. G. Reynolds was at Russell Springs recently.

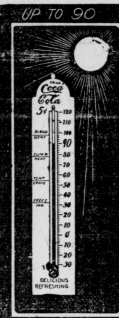
W. T. Montgomery and family, of Stanford, Ky., were visiting their parents here last week.

Ike Montgomery, who has been sick for eighteen months is improving slowly.

A. J. Combest has built an addition to his home that adds very much to its convenience and comfort.

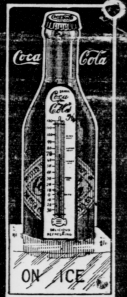
B. O. Hurt, the poultry man, is erecting a new dwelling and barn on the farm he recently bought of W. A. Roy.

Rev. Johnson filled his regular



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appointment at Clear Spring last Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Bryant in improving slowly.

Theodore Powell was at Russell Springs a few days ago.

Ozark has two dry goods stores, one saw and grist mill and a corn crusher and all seem to be doing a thriving business.

Mrs. Ed V. Miller of Crocus, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Mariah Powell a few days ago.

Misses Cora Lee and Estelle Montgomery were visiting their aunt, Mrs. E. B. White recently.

The young people of this community gathered at Mr. T. J. Bryant's last Sunday night and had a nice singing.

The Sunday School at this place is getting along nicely.

It is a mistake to use a violent cathartic to open the bowels. A gentle movement will accomplish the same results without causing distress or serious consequences later. Dr. J. N. Page, Columbia Ky.

## SOMERSET.

I have been located at this place for some time and will write a letter for the News, which I hope will be of interest.

Somerset is a thriving little city of 10,000 with a rapidly increasing population. The new street car system will be ready for traffic about Thanksgiving and will be much benefit to the scattered populace. In the past few days two of this town's best hotels have been burned, which caused a loss of \$10,000 besides great inconvenience to the traveling public. The most serious objection I can find to Somerset is the saloons, but I think the good people will vote them down.

Work is very plentiful here, carpenters receiving from \$1.50 to \$3.00 per day.

The little town of Ferguson, incorporated to itself, is south of and adjoining Somerset and has no saloons. We have the machine shops employing 1,200 hands and a new round-house is being constructed that will cover 2 acres. Fifty new houses are going up and more will follow as soon as lumber can be secured. In Ferguson we have preaching twice a month, prayer meeting every Tuesday evening and Sunday school.

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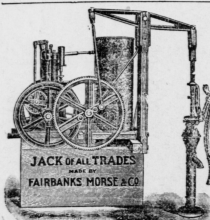
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## MIDDLEBURG.

Rev. H. M. Shouse is at New Salem, Lincoln county, holding a meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coleman, of Louisville, are visiting their parents here.

F. L. Jones, the jeweler, bought a tract of land of Elisha Gifford, for \$500.

Our sportsmen have been getting in the work on the quail hereabouts since the 15.

Rev. V. Y. Willis is holding a meeting at Bethel Ridge, for Rev. S. M. Carrier. He has been absent for more than a week.

Mrs. H. C. McWhorter has rented her property to Mrs. Robert Austin, of Washington, D. C., and will move to Louisville, where her husband has a position.

E. J. Cooley has moved to the farm he bought near Hustonville.

Green River got up Sunday, and Uncle Dick McDaniel is making meal by the bushel for the last several days.

Our farmers have about completed the cribbing of their corn, and the crop is thought to be the largest ever raised in this section.

A man with a sprained ankle will use a crutch, rest the ankle and let it get well. A man or woman with an over-worked stomach can't use a crutch, but the stomach must have rest just the same. It can be rested too without starvation. Kodol will do it. Kodol performs the digestive work of the first stomach and corrects the digestive apparatus. Kodol fully conforms to the provisions of the National Pure Food and Drug Laws. Recommended and sold by Dr. J. N. Page, Columbia Ky.

## ELLA.

The outlook for timber work is very good here just now. There are some log yards beginning to roll up. Hurry up boys with your mills, we want to hear the whistles all around us.

Business is our motto in Ella's vicinity.

The writer had a very pleasant meeting with Jno. Neat, of Columbia, at Sano yesterday. He seemed to be in an amiable frame of mind—all smiles, as he was selling goods to the merchants.

There is talk of a mail route from Russell Springs to Ella. We hope how soon it will be, as it is very much needed.

Mrs. Sue Tarter, of this place is in very poor health. We hope for her recovery soon.

## COBURG.

Below the pike.

A number of our farmers are getting in a good lot of fall plowing.

Owen Hardesty passed Coburg with a good bunch of cattle bought south of Columbia Thursday.

Surveyor McCubbins has completed the survey dividing the Jo Bell Russell farm. It consists of 80 acres, 40 of which are retained by Mr. Russell's wife and the rest divided equally between her two children by her former husband.

Mrs. T. S. Scott and Fred Cowherd are in Bowling Green this week visiting their sister, Mrs. Lander Scott and other relatives and friends.

The Haskinsville and Gilead singing classes are invited to meet with the Ebenezer class at that church the 1st Sunday afternoon.

Miss Jane Kerr and a friend of hers, of Campbellsville, visited at the home of Mr. J. A. Dulworth Saturday and Sunday.

The young and old people of this community, met at the home Jo Bill Russell Saturday night to sing and at Chas. Morris' Monday night. Plenty of good music for the old folks, buffalo and snap for the young ones and hide and seek for the kids.

It is proposed to improve the road on Caney Fork by making new cuts and raising it out of the creek. Proposed to run up over front of R. G. Elmore's yard, build up under the bluff above him, go over the George White hill, cut into the corner of Lee Pharris' field and by so doing avoid the creek which at times renders the road almost impassible.

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## WITH OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Week's Happenings—News Important or Otherwise as Reported By Our Corps of Correspondents.

### BLISS.

As your regular correspondent has gone to New Mexico to make his future home. I will try and give you a few items.

Mr. Samuel H. Mitchell and family, with his father and step-mother moved December 1st to the farm recently purchased by him from Miss Sallie Stewart, near Columbia. We are sorry to give this good family up as they are good neighbors and always ready to help in time of need.

Judge Herfford, of Columbia, brought to this place a nice bunch of cattle. They will be fed and sold to the farmers of our community for feeding and grazing.

J. W. Patterson, of this place, bought a combined mare from Logan Sherrill, of Gradyville, at a nice price.

R. F. Paull bought one mule colt from Mr. J. W. Patterson.

Mr. Wm. Francis was assigned to Loretta this week. Mr. Francis is a man that is reliable and always ready for service when Mr. Judd needs a man.

Mr. W. T. Grissom and son, Melvin, attended the reception given by Prof. Ohlenmachers' music class last week.

Open the bowels and get the cold out of your system. Kennedy's Laxative, (containing) Honey and Tar opens the bowels and at the same time allays the inflammation of the mucous membranes. Drives out the cold and stops the cough. Absolutely free from any opiates. Conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Pleasant to take. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, Columbia Ky.

### JOPPA.

Corn gathering is the go at this writing. Some of our farmers raised so much more than they expected, they had to borrow cribs to put it in.

Young Bros., are doing a good business sawing near Sano. Will move their saw to another set soon.

Mr. Kent Montgomery visited his father at Ozark Sunday.

Everything sold at good prices at Mr. Oliver Willis' sale Saturday. Mrs. Cattie Willis is undecided whether she will rent her farm again or move to it herself.

Mr. J. P. Willis and daughter, Miss Addie, were shopping at Ozark Wednesday.

The women of the country are having a good time now. They can take a dozen eggs and get 25 pounds of salt.

Thanksgiving seemed to be enjoyed by all the neighbors. I was thinking of a great many things we should be thankful for. Then I thought in the last year fifteen souls had been saved and added to our three neighboring churches, and was not that the greatest to be thankful for?

### RUSSELL SPRINGS.

Thanksgiving services were held at both churches here on last Thursday—at the Methodist church in the forenoon, and at the Baptist church at night. The services at both places were interesting.

Quite an interesting program is being prepared by the Sunday

schools here for a Christmas entertainment.

Messrs. W. D. Stevens and G. A. Kimble, two of our merchants, returned from the city last week where they have been to purchase goods.

We understand that Rev. C. C. Loyd of Rowena, is having a very interesting series of meetings at Smith's Bottoms. Mr. Loyd is well and favorably known here. He attended the Russell Springs Academy for two terms.

Several of our citizens were out hunting on Thanksgiving.

Mr. W. D. Stevens bought a drove of hogs one day last week from Otha Garner, of Jamestown.

Mr. D. Popplewell, of Ono, was here a few days ago, looking at property with a view of buying.

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### MONTICELLO.

If you will allow me a little space in your paper I will write a few lines. I see a great many letters from Russell, Adair and Casey counties which are interesting to me. I learn of many things in that way, were it not for your paper I doubtless would never know.

I was reared and lived in Russell county near Font Hill Ky., until six years ago with my son moved to Wayne county, and while I have spent those six years very pleasantly with the good people of Monticello and adjacent community my heart goes back to the days of my childhood and recall the many pleasant memories of the past. I am now 62 years of age. The majority of those of my age who were my associates in my early days, have passed away. Almost every paper brings the news of some one who has died. According to nature it must be shortly said of me.

As I said I hear from a great many of my friends in this way that I would never hear from any other way. I like the advantages here. First I will say because it is a very healthful country. My health is better than it has been for several years. We have handy access to church and school. We are only three miles from town and an excellent road. Twenty minutes drive will take us into town. The four denominations represented here all have modern houses of worship and a kind Christian spirit existing amongst the people. We have an excellent graded school here just started last year and is doing a fine work, and bids fair to do a great work. The churches pay their pastors well consequently we have good preaching. One beloved pastor, Bro. T. L. Hulise, who served us faithfully for four years, is a great preacher and did a great work here. The time limit taking him from us, Rev. B. F. Atkinson, of Louisville, has been sent to take his place. Another great man. Who would not like to live where they have such preachers as those? Now I don't want to take up too much

space especially as this is the first time in life that I have written to your paper, but thought I would take this way of letting my friends know where I am and how I am getting along, so I will close for the present. Very sincerely yours.

Mrs. Perlina T. McBeath.

### GADBERRY.

W. L. Bird has his shingle machine in operation at Ames Frankum's.

Mrs. J. W. Bird has five geese that weigh 54 pounds, four of them weighed ten pounds each and one weighed 14 pounds.

James Frankum lost a valuable work horse Tuesday night.

Sunday, Nov. 25 was the 80th birthday of Jesse Stone. A few friends met to celebrate the day with him. We were glad to know that he was able to go to church on that day. The wish of his many friends is that he and his sister, who is in feeble health, may live to celebrate many more birthdays, and when done with this life that they may meet in the sweet beyond to spend eternity together with friends and loved ones gone before.

Mr. Zach Darnell has been on the sick list for a week.

Mr. James Gadberrry and family, of Fairplay, visited at J. L. Darnell's Saturday and Sunday.

I. P. Taylor and family, of Glensfork, were J. A. Darnell's Saturday.

There will be an "Old folks" singing at Pierces' Chapel next Sunday afternoon. Everybody invited.

J. A. Darnell was bird hunting last week. He got 20 quail out of 24 shots. The birds live hard when Joel gets after them.

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